

JOSEPH THOMAS AND MARGARET WATSON THOMAS

Joseph Thomas was the son of Charles and Elizabeth Carter Thomas, converts to the Church in their homeland of Hertford County, England. They came to the United States on the ship "Sheffield" and made their home in Nauvoo from 1841 until the mob drove the saints out. They then settled in Council Bluffs, Iowa, where Joseph was born November 12, 1846.

They crossed the plains in the Briant Jolley company, arriving in Salt Lake September, 1852, where his father was a blacksmith.

When Heber valley was settled, in 1859, Joseph's older brothers, Elisha and Charles, were among the first to settle there. Soon he came to join them. When the Blackhawk War broke out he joined the Cavalry company, with William Wall as captain, and took supplies to the Indians on the Duchesne when our people were trying to make peace, being gone eight days on the trip.

On January 7, 1867, he married Margaret Watson. They first lived at Heber, then at Hooper in Weber County. Returning later to Heber for a time, he took up a homestead on Center Creek. Here he cleared and fenced a very good farm and built a house for his wife and family. He was the father of 11 children, most of them born on the farm.

They seemed to be prospering very well when, late in February, 1886, he contracted pneumonia.

All that possibly could be done was done in an effort to save his life, but he died March 4, 1886. His dear wife was so worn out from his sickness that she became ill from the same disease and died March 18, 1886, leaving a large family without a father or mother.

Joseph Thomas was a fine, strong, healthy man, a kind father and husband, jolly and good-natured, and was respected by all who knew him. He was very kind to his family.

His wife was a good helpmate and mother. She was born July 17, 1850, at Fifeshire, Scotland, daughter of James and Janet Campbell Watson. They were among the early settlers in Heber Valley.

Their children were: Joseph W., Agnes Irinda, Sarah Elizabeth, Janet Campbell, Margaret Elinor, Jessup W., Maude, John Ernest, and Harold.

ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:
DATES: 14 Apr 1794

FAMILY
GROUP
RECORD

PLACES: Sharon, Windsor, Vt.

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HUSBAND Jessup Watson THOMAS

Born 6 Oct 1878 Place Center Creek, Wasatch, Utah
Chr. Place
Marr. 26 Oct 1899 Place Heber, Wasatch, Utah (Center Creek Ward)
Died 7 Aug 1960 Place Salt Lake City, SLK., Utah
Bur. 10 Aug 1960 Place Heber, Wasatch, Utah

HUSBAND'S FATHER Joseph THOMAS

HUSBAND'S OTHER WIFE Irene COPE md 21 Dec 1921

HUSBAND'S MOTHER

Margaret WATSON

Husband Jessup Watson THOMAS

Wife Eunice Sweet LINDSAY

Ward Examiners: 1.
2.
Stake or Mission

NAME & ADDRESS OF PERSON SUBMITTING SHEET

Nrs N.F. Hicken
2119 East 9th South
Salt Lake City, Utah

RELATION OF ABOVE TO HUSBAND

Daughter

RELATION OF ABOVE TO WIFE

Daughter

FOUR GENERATION SHEET FOR FILING ONLY

YES ☒

NO ☐

DATE SUBMITTED TO GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Oct 29, 1980

LDS ORDINANCE DATA

BAPTIZED (Date) ENDOWED (Date) SEATED (Date and Temp)

HUSBAND 31 Jan 1957 20 Dec 1957 20 Dec 1957

WIFE 3 Sept 1919

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WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

CHILDREN
List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth
Given Names SURNAME

WHEN BORN
DAY MONTH YEAR

WHERE BORN
TOWN COUNTY STATE OR COUNTRY

DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE
TO WHOM DAY WHEN DIED MONTH YEAR

1	F	Eliza Alta THOMAS	27 Oct 1900	Center Creek	Wasatch	Utah	19 Aug 1925	Nymphus Frederick HICKEN	6 Mar 1909	19 Aug 1925	6 Dec 1925
2	M	Jessup Roland THOMAS	24 Sept 1903	Center Creek	Wasatch	Utah	6 Oct 1926	23 May 1932	2 Dec 1911	24 Nov 1922	20 Dec 1922
3	F	Ora Mabel THOMAS	23 Aug 1906	Center Creek	Wasatch	Utah	21 Nov 1933	23 Jan 1979	5 Sep 1914	14 May 1942	27 Feb 1942
4	M	Robert Daryl THOMAS	4 May 1912	Heber	Wasatch	Utah	Feb 1924		5 Feb 1921	20 Dec 1957	20 Dec 1957
5	F	Velda THOMAS	11 April 1918	Heber	Wasatch	Utah	24 Feb 1920		Child	Child	20 Dec 1957
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

1. Wasatch Co Vital Statistics
2. Wasatch co Cemetary
3. Center Creek Ward records
4. Records in poss of Ina Van Tassell 2903 N. 1025 E.N. Ogden, Ut.

OTHER MARRIAGES

See Lake Creek Book

ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:
 NAMES: WATSON, John Henry
 PLACES: Sharon, WnJsr, Yrnm
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